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SUBJECT: REQUESTED INFORMATION RE BEWT REPORT ON  
US-USSR EXCHANGES

REF: (A) MOSCOW 16596

--- (B) STATE 253343

--- (C) STATE 264143

1. ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON EAST-WEST TRADE RECENTLY  
EXPRESSED INTEREST IN KNOWING ABOUT EXISTING EXCHANGES  
BETWEEN US AND EAST EUROPE INCLUDING USSR, WITH SPECIAL  
EMPHASIS ON MANAGEMENT-RELATED EXCHANGES.

2. IN RESPONSE TO THIS REQUEST, BEWT/OEWPP IS PRESENTLY  
PREPARING A REPORT GIVING THE BROAD OUTLINES OF EXCHANGE  
ACTIVITIES BETWEEN THE US AND EAST EUROPE. THE MAIN  
FOCUS OF THE REPORT IS TO GENERATE INFORMATION ON EXIST-  
ING OR POTENTIAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR MANAGEMENT-RELATED  
EXCHANGES.

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3. VERY LITTLE INFORMATION EXISTS ON THE POTENTIAL FOR  
PLACING AMERICANS IN SOVIET ENTERPRISES FOR PRACTICAL

EXPERIENCE. ANY INFORMATION EMBASSY CAN PROVIDE ON THIS SUBJECT WOULD BE GREATLY APPRECIATED.

4. IS EMBASSY AWARE OF ANY EXCHANGES OF PERSONNEL BETWEEN AN AMERICAN COMPANY AND A SOVIET ENTERPRISE?

5. MANY OF THE QUESTIONS LISTED IN REF (B) WERE POSED TO DEP DIR USA/CANADA INSTITUTE YEVGENIY SHERSHNEV. FOR HIS COMMENTS SEE REF (C) AND COM/BEWT/OEWPP/JSELLIOTT MEMCON. KISSINGER

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